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# Camellias

Planting camellias in your garden is an investment which repays you in increasing value and enjoyment from year to year. Planting a camellia as a memorial for a dear departed one, or to mark the day for a new-born baby, is a worthwhile pleasure for all in the coming years as it is not unusual for camellias to live past the century mark.

We extend to you a cordial invitation to visit the nursery during the blooming season and welcome any inquiries you may have concerning your camellia problems.



Our stock is all first class, lath house grown and is in fine, healthy growing condition. Most plants are balled and burlapped while others are in containers.

With every purchase of a plant we include a copy of our booklet on the history, culture and care of camellias which deals with the practical knowledge of growing camellias under garden conditions. This booklet sells for twenty-five cents a copy when purchased alone or through the mail, but is free with purchase of a plant.

### Smyth Camellia Nursery

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#### RETAIL PRICE LIST

FALL 1946

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#### CAMELLIA JAPONICA

	Age in years	Height in inches	Price*		Age	Height in inches	Price*
Akebono (Pink)	-	24 to 30	\$6.00	Kumasaka		8 to 12	2.50
Alba Fimbriata - Graft		15 to 20	7.50	77		8 to 15	3.00
" " "	3	2 to 3 ft.	15.00	***	3	24 to 30	5.00
Alba Plena	3	24 to 30	5.00	31	3	30 to 36	7.50
" "		30 to 36	8.50	***************************************		4 to 5 ft.	15.00
Alba Superba		18 to 24 18 to 24	3.50 <b>3.</b> 50	Lady Humes Blush - Graft	1	12 to 18 18 to 24	7.50 10.00
"		24 to 30	4.50	Lady Jane Grey - Graft		12 to 18	7.50
29	_	3 to 4 ft.	8,50	La Peppermint		12 to 18	3.50
Apple Blossom	2	18 to 24	3.50	Lady Vansittart		15 to 24	3.50
" "		24 to 30	6.00	" "		2 to 3 ft.	8.50
Arajishi	_	24 to 30	5.00	Laurel Leaf		18 to 24 12 to 18	7.50
Bella Romana		18 to 24 18 to 24	3.50 3.50	Leucantha		12 to 18	5.00 3.50
2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	3	24 to 30	5.00	Lindsay Neil - Graft		8 to 12	8.50
Biho (Pink)		18 to 24	3.50	Lotus		24 to 30	7.50
Candida Elegantissima		12 to 18	3.50	"	_	30 to 36	10.00
Chandleri Elegans		18 to 24	3.50	***************************************		3 to 4 ft.	15.00
99 99		30 to 36 3 to 4 ft.	8.50 <b>10.00</b>	Marchioness of Exeter		4 to 5 ft. 24 to 30	$25.00 \\ 3.50$
Climax (Ella Drayton)		30 to 36	5.00	Meridith Lake		18 to 24	3.50
Colonel Firey		18 to 24	4.50	Monjisu (Variegated)		12 to 18	3.50
)) )) ))		24 to 30	6.50	Mrs. Wm. Thompson	2	18 to 24	3.50
		3 to 4 ft.	10.00	" " "		30 to 36	5.00
Daikagura (red)		18 to 24 12 to 18	4.00 3.50	Otome (Pink) Pax - Graft		6 to 12 12 to 18	3.50
" " " "		18 to 24	4.50	" "		18 to 24	7.50 15.00
,, ,,	_	24 to 30	8.50	Peonyflora		18 to 24	4.00
"	4	30 to 36	10.00	,,	3	24 to 30	5.00
Diakagura (Variegated)		24 to 30	8.50	Pink Ball		24 to 30	3.50
" " "		30 to 36	10.00	22 23		30 to 36	4.50
David Gerbing Debutante		18 to 24 8 to 12	5.00 3.50	Pink Herme		36 to 42 18 to 24	7.50 3.50
,,		18 to 24	5.00	Pink Perfection		15 to 24	3.00
"	_	3 to 4 ft.	12.50	29 99		24 to 30	4.50
Duchess of Sutherland		18 to 24	4.50	9) 77		3 to 4 ft.	8.50
Eleanor Haygood - Graft		12 to 18	7.50	Pink Star		10 to 15	3.50
Elena Nobile		12 to 18 18 to 24	3.75 4.50	Pope Pius		12 to 18 24 to 30	3.50 5.00
"		24 to 30	6.75	99 99	_	30 to 36	6.50
39 39	_	4 to 5 ft.	15.00	Purity		18 to 24	
Elizabeth	2	18 to 24	3.50	"	2	24 to 30	4.00
Emperor of Russia		18 to 24	4.50	"	_	3 to 4 ft.	10.00
Emperor Wilhelm - Graft	1	8 to 12 3 to 4 ft.	5.00	Reticulata - Graft		12 to 18	
Fimbriata Superba - Graft		12 to 18	15.00 7.50	» » ——————————————————————————————————		18 to 24 24 to 36	
Finlandia (White Herme)		3 to 4 ft.	8.50	Reticulata - Graft (Specimen)		30 to 36	
Flame	2	12 to 18	6.50		5	3 to 4 ft.	75.00
Francine		12 to 20	3.50	Sargent, Professor C. S	5	3 to 4 ft.	8.50
"		24 to 30	6.00	Smiling Popular	_	4 to 5 ft.	10.00
"		36 to 42 42 to 52	$8.50 \\ 15.00$	Smiling Beauty Snowdrift		24 to 30 12 to 18	6.00 3.00
George W. Towle		24 to 30	5.00	"		3 to 4 ft.	8.50
" " "		24 to 30	7.50	Star Dust	2	24 to 30	3.50
" " "		30 to 36	15.00	Te Deum - Graft		18 to 24	6.50
Glen No. 40 - Graft		8 to 15	7.50	" " " " "		30 to 36	
***************************************		15 to 20 24 to 30	10.00 5.00	Teutonia Valtavareda		12 to 18 18 to 24	_
GoshogurumaGovernor Mouton	-	24 to 30	7.50	Vittorio Emanuele (Blood of Chi		18 to 24	
Grandiflora Rosea (Empress)	2	18 to 24	4.50	" " " " "	3	24 to 30	
" " "	3	24 to 36	7.50	Ville de Nantes - Grafts	1	10 to 15	
	4	3 to 4 ft.	10.00	" " " "		18 to 24	
	5	4 to 5 ft.	17.50	Warratha		18 to 24	
H. A. Downing		24 to 30 12 to 18	3.50 3.75	Wakanoura (Variegated)		18 to 24	-
Herme (Jordan's Pride)		18 to 24	5.00	Wakanoura (Red)		24 to 30 12 to 18	
» » »		3 to 4 ft.	10.00	,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,,		24 to 30	
Imura - Graft	4	3 to 4 ft.	15.00	Camellia Sasanqua			
"		2 to 3 ft.	10.00	Shell Pink and White Dove	2	8 to 12	2.50
Julia Drayton (C. M. Hovey)		12 to 18	3.50	Betty McCaskill	_	0 1	
-	2 3	18 to 24 3 to 4 ft.	4.50 10.00	(small full double pink)		6 to 12	
-	3	3 W 4 It.	10.00		5	3 to 4 ft.	15.00

<sup>\*</sup>Shipping orders must be accompanied by check or money order for full amount. 10% of amount of order to cover packing expense on shipping orders. No charge to exceed \$5.00, minimum charge 50 cents.

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## Camellia Descriptions

M - Midseason E - Early

AKEBONO (Pink)—Semi-double, salmon pink blossoms—M

ALBA FIMBRIATA—Full, large double, pure white flowers with serrated edge to petals. Very beautiful—E

ALBA PLENA—Full large double, pure white flowers, one of

finest varieties—E
ALBA SUPERBA—Vigorous, fast grower. Flowers are semidouble pure white, showing stamens-L

AMABILIS—Single, white with prominent stamens—M

APPLE BLOSSOM-Single white tipped with blush pink, fragrant-E

ARAJISHI-Deep true red peony form. Early bloomer-E

BELLA ROMANA-Full double blush pink striped profusely with deep pink—M

BIHO (Pink)—Medium sized, full double rose pink—L

CANDIDA ELEGANTISSIMA—Large semi-double, red and white showy and very beautiful variegated flower-M

CHANDLERI ELEGANS—Rose pink, splashed white, peony cen-

CLIMAX-Large red full double flower with unusual petal arrangement—M

COLONEL FIREY-Very large, full double, deep red in color, blooms late-L

COMMUNIST-Medium sized double, dark red-M

DAIKAGURA (Red)—Peony type, rose red. Earliest bloomer—E DAIKAGURA (Variegated)—Splashed white, peony type, rose

red—E DAVID GERBING—Full double with yellow stamens. Late

flowers, deep pink-L **DEBUTANTE**—Full double, peony formed flowers of light pink.

Very desirable—E DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND-Large white flowers with occasional pink stripe-M

ELEANOR HAYGOOD-Full double, pale pink. Rare and very beautiful—L

ELENA NOBILE-Vivid red flowers. Good grower and bloomer—L

ELIZABETH—Large double, pure white occasional pink stripe—M EMPEROR OF RUSSIA—Vivid red, peony formed large flowers-M

EMPEROR WILHELM-Large, peony formed, red splashed and blotched with white—E

FIMBRIATA SUPERBA—Large semi-double red with fimbriated petals. Rare—M

FINLANDIA—Large semi-double white, wavey petals with prominent yellow stamens—M **FLAME**—Beautiful semi-double red flowers of large size—M

FRANCINE—Same as Chandleri Elegans but is solid rose pink—M GEORGE W. TOWLE—Large semi-double flowers with prominent contrasting golden stamens. White background streaked with carmine. Very beautiful—M GLEN No. 40—Double red, imbricated. Rare and very beauti-

ful-L

GOSHOGURUMA—Good sized, semi-double deep red flowers with large yellow anthers, making an unusual flower—M GOVENOR MOUTON—Loose peony form to semi-double, deep

red marbled white—M
GRANDIFLORA ROSEA—Very large semi-double clear, deep rose pink with showy stamens-E

H. A. DOWNING-Large, semi-double, deep rosy red with long showy stamens—L

HERME-Fragrant, large semi-double light pink, margined in white and streaked with a deeper pink. Stamens show when flower is fully open. One of the best variegated flowers-M

- IMURA—Large, semi-double white flower reminding one of a water lily—M
- JULIA DRAYTON—Large red flowers, double and very fine variety—M
- **KUMASAKA**—Large, semi-double clear rose pink showing stamens—M
- LADY HUMES BLUSH—Medium sized, shell pink full double. Rare—M
- LADY JANE GREY—Full double, yellow stamens, deep pink and marbled white—M
- LA PEPPERMINT—Very large, full double. Blush pink pencilled with red. Sturdy grower and very beautiful. Sports red flowers of same type, called Uncle Sam—L
- LADY VANSITTART—Rich rose red semi-double form. Has long crinkly, holly-like foliage—M
- LAUREL LEAF—Handsome, perfectly double pink flowers spotted white—M
- **LEUCANTHA**—Showy single white flowers with dull gold stamens—M
- LINDSAY NEIL—Red and white large peony formed flowers.

  Very rare—M
- LOTUS—Largest white of all, semi-double with prominent stamens—M
- MARCHIONESS OF EXETER—Large, beautiful, deep pink peony type flower—M
- MERIDITH LAKE—Semi-double, pale lilac overtone—L
- MONJISU (Variegated)—Semi-double, deep red prominent yellow stamens, marbled white—L
- MRS. WM. THOMPSON—Large white, semi-double flower—M
- OTOME (Pink)-Full double, delicate pink edged with white-L
- PAX—Full double, waxy white. Sport of Laurel Leaf. Very beautiful—M
- **PEONYFLORA**—Shaggy, peony formed flowers. White speckled with pink—M
- PINK BALL—Beautiful, large double light pink—M
- PINK HERME—Pink sport of Herme. Deep pink full double, stamens—M
- PINK PERFECTION—Shell pink flower of perfect double type—M
- PINK STAR—Semi-double, bright rose pink flowers of delicate coloring. Outer row of petals roundly pointed giving star-like appearance—M
- POPE PIUS—Very double scarlet flowers of good size. Very fine—L
- PURITY—Popular white, full double good grower and bloomer—L RETICULATA—Very large, semi-double carmine pink and one
- of the loveliest of all camellias and rare—L SARGENT, PROFESSOR C. S.—Very double dark red pompon center—L
- SMILING BEAUTY—Semi-double, medium size flower. Pleasing delicate pink. Rare—L
- SNOWDRIFT—Beautiful form, large semi-double pure white—L
- STAR DUST—Pink, medium size of Chandleri type—M
  TE DEUM—Flowers variable in form from single to fully double,
- very large brilliant red—L
- TEUTONIA—Soft pink full double, edges white, medium size—M VALTAVAREDA—Deep pink outer petals shading to light pink
- inner petals, extreme double very symetrical—L
  VITTORIO EMANUELE—Very beautiful large deep red peony
  type flowers, yellow stamens—L
- VILLE DE NANTES—Semi-double, red serrated petals of deep beautiful red shade and exceptional lasting qualities, rare—L
- WARRATHA—Dark red medium size flowers with pompon center—M
  WAKANOURA (Red)—Semi-double red, yellow stamens—E
- WAKANOURA (Variegated)—Semi-double fine variegated type, red and white—E

